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Harold-

I passed the examination on my Ph.D. thesis, and pending some revisions and additions the thesis has been accepted. Perhaps now our secret will get out concerning where the tastiest pike are located on the Tibur. Too bad; some things are worth withholding from posterity. My Ph.D. degree will be official in September.

By way of celebration, I bought myself a flashy dashiki (apro shirt), and am wearing it now. I look like a flower pot.

Dick

P.S. I'll be out of town next week — out of touch with everything. Going up into the bush on a canoe trip. Will write when I return.